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Giuseppe Rossi et al.

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For: CHARGE MODE ACTIVE PIXEL SENSOR  
READ-OUT CIRCUIT

Examiner: N. T. Tran

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-12, 16-23, 25, 28, 29, 31, 32, 34-37 and 39, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.